# ITEMS OF INTEREST IN AND ABOUT TOWN

## Various Parts of the Nation's Capital.

Will suffrage leaders permit a re quirement of declaration of age to shoo them from the ballot?

This question was answered without hesitation today, when put to officers of the National Woman's Party. News was flashed from London today that universal suffrage, as proposed in the House of Commons reform program, carries little cheer to men of England, because they must be thirty years old before they

"Too foolish for comment," was the remark of Mrs. Robert W. Baker. "The men of this county. "The men of this country are not going to let women be subject to an

Debate On Army Drill.

## and Georgetown University at the local institution Tuesday night.

Concert To Aid Children. A concert for the benefit of the Baptist Home for Children, will be

given in the ball room of the Raleigh Hotel, by the Brown University Glee Hotel, by the Brown University Glee Club, Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Recital by Mrs. Kane. A recital will be given by Mrs.

Evelyn G. Kane for the Young Men's

#### and Young Women's Christian Asso-ciation in the assembly hall of the Y. M. C. A. Monday night.

Woman To Discuss War. War Conditions in England and Legimate Warfare," will be discussed by Mrs. Beatrice Potbury, of London, at Socialist Headquarters, 811 E streets northwest at 8:15 o'clock to-

To Talk On "Magnetle Force," Dr. W. de Kerlor will deliver a lecture Sunday afternoon at the rest-dence of Mrs. Edward C. Seward, 1821 Sixteenth street northwest at 4:30 o'clock on "The Magnetic Forces of the Human Rada" the Human Body.'

#### Given School Benefit.

An entertainment for the benefit of the Twining and Abbot School playgrounds was given by pupils of Miss Madolin Smithson at old Central High School last night. The receipts will be used to purchase playground equipment. Pupils of Miss Smithson's classes danced and sang.

#### Miss Jackson to Lecture.

Miss Cordelia Jackson will deliver an illustrated lecture on Gibraltar, Naples, Pompell, and Rome in Grand Army Hall, 1412 Pennsylvania avenue northwest, Thursday night, for the benefit of the Department of the Po

## Job Finders to Confer.

Organization of a woman's commit tee to co-operate with the Depart ment of Labor in finding employment for women in the District will be per fected at a meeting in the assembly hall of the Public Library at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon

## Trensury Employes Elect.

James L. Wilmeth was re-elected president of the United States Treas-Beneficial Association at a meet ing held last night in the D. A. R. Hall. J. E. Morgan was re-elected vice president; Lee W. Funk, secretary, and R. E. Preckington, treas-

## Brown Men Plan Concert.

The Brown University Glee Club will give a concert Wednesday evening in the ball room of the Raleigh Hotel for benefit of the Baptist Home for Children. Prominent Bap-tists of Washington, as well as mem-ber of the Rhode Island delegation in Congress, will patronize the con-

## New Pinnist Heard Here.

A newcomer to Washington music circles, Mme. Scudo Ragland, pinnist, was heard at the Friday Morning Music Club yesterday, when she played the brilliant Liszt plane concerts in G flat, with Mrs. Day at the second plane. Mme. Scudo-Ragland has played this elaborate work with full orches-tra in Leipzig. She is making her home here. Her program also included two Chopin numbers.

## To Talk On Citizen's Duties.

"The Duties of Citizenship," is to be the subject of a lecture in the be the subject of a lecture in the Vermont Avenue Christian Church to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock by Adam Dixon Warner, of California. Congressman Charles H. Randall, of California, will preside. Miss Anna Adams Gordon and Margaret Dye Ellis, of the Women's Christian will conduct devotional exer Miss Helen F. Edgar will sing.

Enstern Students In Play. "A Russian Honeymoon," acts, arranged from the French by

Mrs. Burton Harrison, was given last

Do the Dead Come Back? A question to be answered by Julian Kennedy Smyth, of New York City, following his address at the Church of the New Jerusalem, Sixteenth and Corcora streets, Sunday evening at 8. Other questions answered if you ask them. Bring your friends.

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night by the atudents of Eastern High at 4 o'clock, followed by the acceptable of the quaintance hour at 5, when Mrs. Roberts of spring athletics. blus, organist at Epiphany, will play.

Sons of Secretary of Tressury Are The players were coached by Miss M. C. Gunter. The committee in charge of the play was composed of Miss Merrill. Happenings of the Day in Mrs. Doggett, Miss Grosvenor, Miss Gunter, Mr. Kinble, Miss Moore, Miss McNutt, Miss Prince, Mr. Schwartz, and Miss Scott.

#### Shows New York Views.

Pictures of busy New York in it busy whirl were shown last night at the Petworth School by C. J. James, of New York, speaking under the auspices of the Petworth Home and School Association. The world's tallest buildings, the Statue of Liberty by night, the white lights of Broadway, the busy harbor, the interned ships, the fire and police departments, rant's Tomb, Riverside Park, Fifth enue, the slums, the Zoo and Brons Park, were a few of the views shown

#### Boy Scouts To Mobilize.

More than 400 Boy Scouts, Scout Masters and Boy Scout council mem bers are expected to attend a meeting of the Junior Council in G. A. R. Hall Monday night at 8 oclock.

Activities of the organization in case of war and mobilization of all "Pshaw! Any woman will admit Boy Scouts early next week will be discussed. Officials believe Northwest Civic Meeting.

The Northwest Citizens' Association will meet Monday at 8 oclock in the Gare School.

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#### U. S. Mission Aids French.

Mrs. Louise Seymour Houghton, of "Resolved. That the United States Philadelphia, speaking on "A Christian Renaissance of France, before Says they destroy efficiency but Should Adopt Universal Military Service," will be debated by teams of Washington and Jefferson College Missionary Union, in the Public Li-brary, yesterday afternoon, described the work of the Robert McCall dis sion in France. She stated that this coun'ry has sent more than \$70,000 to France for use among the soldiers by this mission. Washington women were invited to become members of the organization by Mrs. H. R. F. Marfarland, president of the Washington McCall Auxiliary.

#### Question Box at Y. W. C. A.

A question box will be conducted by Mrs. Mary C. Stevens at the vesper service of the Young Women's Christian Association tomorrow at 5:30 o'clock. Some questions are "Is o:an o'clock. Some questions are "Is it necessary to go to church in order to be good?" "How can a girl who is reserved by nature make friends?" "How do we know the Bible is true?" "What can one do when one stands in the midst of shattered ideals?" The Bible class will meet

A debate will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock at Pythian Temple under auspices of the Secular League on the subject, "Resolved, That the pacifist's position at this time is justifiable." The affirmative side will be taken by Miss Elizabeth Freeman, of England representing the Emergency Peace Federation: Louis P. Lochner, a member of the Ford peace expedi-tion: William V. Mahoney, of the Anti-War League, and the Rev. J. F. Neuchel. The negative will be up-held by John D. Bradley, David Eccles, and other members of the Secular League.

#### MEDICAL PREPAREDNESS.

Adequate sanitary and medical fa-ilities were urged upon 400 Plattsburg campers by Capt, Ryan Devereaux. Red Cross chairman, at the Washington Riding and Hunt Club last night. Captain Devereaux urged young men rejected by the army or navy for physical unfitness to enter Red Cross service. Capt. Archie Mil-ler, Second Cavalry, drilled the men.

# **Employees Must** Keep Corns Off

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skin.
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ns of Secretary of Treasury Are Eager to Serve the Country. Secretary McAdoo's three sons have volunteered for service in the naval

reserve corps. The Secretary is proud of the patriotism of his sons and his friends are pointing to the group of enlistments as a splendid object lesson for the manhood of the coun-

Francis H. McAdoo, the Secretary's eldest son, an attorney in New York has volunteered his personal services and also has donated a fast motor-boat for use as a submarine chaser. William G. McAdoo, jr., a senior at Princeton University, has applied for assignment to the aviation corps of the reserves, while the third son, Robert H. McAdoo, an eighteen-year-old student at St. Paul's School, Concord, N. H., has volunteered for whatever service may be assigned to him.

#### "ENDLESS CHAIN" PEACE MOVE CHICAGO, March 31 .- George Maher, pacifist, started an "endless chain system of telephone calls, to prevent the war today. He says it will result in hundreds of calls before Congress meets, and will arouse the

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BLANCHE SWEET "THOSE WITHOUT SIN" MARIE DORO "CASTLES FOR TWO" ALL STAR CAST in 'THE HYPOCRITES'

# **How Our Country Is** Preparing For War

That a state of war between Germany and the United States actually exists now, is asserted by Vice-President Marshall, and his opinion is echoed by such eminent authorities as Charles E. Hughes, Elihu Root, and Theodore Roosevelt, while the preponderance of newspaper sentiment in the United States reflects the same conclusion.

"Our citizens have been murdered, our rights have been invaded, and treason has been plotted by German agents within our frontiers," notes the New York Tribune, and then asks "what are we going to do about it now?"

An official answer to that question will doubtless be given by President Wilson to Congress when it convenes on April 2d. At least this is the consensus of public opinion. Under these circumstances a knowledge of what preparations for war the United States plans and actually has under way is of absorbing interest to the American people.

It is to furnish this information that the article "A 'State of War' With Germany" in THE LITERARY DIGEST for March 31st, 1917, is presented. Man-power, money, food, submarines, submarine destroyers, aeroplanes, mobilization, coast defense, munitions, transportation, and many other topics are covered.

Read "The Digest" this week and judge to what extent the United States is ready for war. Among other articles in this exceptionally interesting number are these:

## How the Entente and German Press View the Russian Revolt Enthusiasm in the Allied Countries, Uncertainty in Germany

Is Germany "Retreating to Victory" on the Somme?

Democratic Russia As Our Ally Japan, On United States' Break with Germany Why China Joined the Allies Swatting the Submarine

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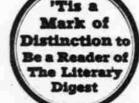
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